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Accent the spring with some of these gaily flowered bulbs. Every garden has some place for bulbs, a clump of taller ones here and there in front of shrubs to brighten their flowerless season; low growing bulbs at the edge of borders; groups scattered in the perennial beds for early color; a bed or border of bulbs alone; or planted in a natural manner under trees—all these are possibilities.

For complete information about preparation of soil, location for planting, fertilization and care after planting read our booklet **"When, Where and How to Plant."** It's yours for the asking.

TOP QUALITY BULBS

We recommend and carry only top quality bulbs as they can be counted on for stronger plants and larger blooms.

Free Delivery of orders of \$2.50 or more on our regular truck routes. We do not ship Bulbs by Parcel Post.

Planting and Availability Dates. Bulbs are available the first month given after each variety but may be planted for the next 2 to 4 months.

Please Note: The depth given for planting refers to the base of the Bulb.

Quantity Prices: 50 Bulbs of a single variety take the 100 rate; 6 take the dozen rate.

Some bulb varieties are short each season. Order early to avoid disappointment.

Prices subject to change at any time.



We have the necessary items for use in your bulb planting such as: bone meal, leaf mold, bulb fiber, charcoal. You'll find instructions for their use in our free booklet **WHEN, WHERE and HOW TO PLANT.** Ask for your copy.

TULIPS FROM HOLLAND

Huge bloom in a fine array of colors to tell you that spring is here. Set 8 inches deep, October to December, in shade or sun but light shade is best. If planting in pots keep in a cool, dark place; and not too wet, until growth starts.

Each, 12c; per dozen, \$1.25; per 100, \$10.00 except as noted.

Bartigon. Outstanding Darwin of velvety, fiery crimson.

Clara Butt. Very popular Darwin. Salmon pink.

Dillingburg. Fine Breeder tulip. Orange-red shaded bronze.

Golden Harvest. No finer yellow than this large flowered Cottage variety.

Philip Snowden. An exquisite shade of clear rose-pink. Darwin.

Pride of Zwanenburg. Large salmon-pink on tall growing stems. Each, 18c; per dozen, \$2.00; per 100, \$16.00.

The Bishop. Rich violet blue Darwin. Each, 18c; per dozen, \$2.00; per 100, \$16.00.

Zwanenburg. Unsurpassed by any white variety. Black anthers. Darwin. Each, 15c; per dozen, \$1.75; per 100, \$13.50.

Darwin Mixture. A well blended mixture of excellent sorts. Each, 12c; per dozen, \$1.25; per 100, \$10.00.

PARROT TULIPS

The flowers are feathered with contrasting color; the petals deeply cut and waved in an unusual manner.

Each, 15c; per dozen, \$1.70; per 100, \$13.00.

Blue Parrot. Bright violet shaded steel blue.

Fantasy. Salmon - pink feathered with green.

Red Champion. Bright crimson often 6 inches across.

FRAGRANT HYACINTHS

Easily grown, either in the ground or forced in pots for the house. Plant October through December, to depth of 6 inches for March bloom.

Each, 25c; per dozen, \$2.75; per 100, \$22.50

Bismarck. Large, well formed trusses of pleasing light blue.

Grand Maitre. Deep polished blue.

Jan Bos. Dense heads of carmine red.

L'Innocence. Incomparable white.

Pink Pearl. Deep rosy pink, lightening at edges.

Yellow Hammer. Heavy spikes of light creamy yellow.

FRENCH ROMAN HYACINTHS

Several spikes of early, free-flowering bloom from a single bulb. Loosely arranged, dainty fragrant bells. Plant 5 inches deep from September 15 to November. **Separate Colors: Pink, Blue or White.**

Each, 28c; per dozen, \$3.00

MUSCARI, Grape Hyacinths

Clusters of tiny, deep blue blossoms that resemble bunches of Concord grapes in miniature. Low growing bloom for a long season. Multiply freely. Lovely grouped in front of Daffodils and Tulips or in the rockery. Plant September 15 through November to a depth of 4 inches for winter and spring bloom.

Per dozen, 65c; per 100, \$4.50

We hold, here in our nurseries . . .

Four Shows Each Year

ROSE SHOW

in fall

CHRYSANTHEMUM SHOW

in fall

CAMELLIA SHOW

in early spring

IRIS SHOW

in late spring

exhibiting flowers of the many varieties we offer for sale. An excellent opportunity to select sorts you desire. **No admission charge.** If not on our mailing list, please register at office. We'll mail you advance notices of exact dates.

Daffodils - Jonquils - Narcissus

Probably the most popular bulbs. The tall stems hold the blooms proudly aloft. The bulbs increase rapidly and last through many years if lifted and divided every third or fourth season. May be planted in small groups in the garden or scattered under trees for naturalizing, or forced in pots to brighten the house in the winter months. Enjoy a well-drained location in either sun or shade. Plant 10 inches deep September 15 through November. Easily grown in pots. Bloom January through March.

LARGE TRUMPET DAFFODILS

Fortune. Wide frilled apricot orange cup and creamy yellow petals of substantial texture. Each, 35c; per dozen, \$3.75; per 100, \$28.50.

King Alfred. Large trumpet, early flowering rich golden yellow. Each, 22c; per dozen, \$2.50; per 100, \$19.50.

Mrs. E. H. Krelage. Much desired for its waxy texture and attractive form. Cream trumpet changing to clear white; large frosty white petals. Each, 35c; per dozen, \$3.75; per 100, \$28.50.

Mrs. R. O. Backhouse. The "Pink Daffodil." Ivory perianth and large apricot to pink trumpet. Each, 50c; per dozen, \$5.75.

Spring Glory. Very large, pure white petals; large golden cup. Each, 28c; per dozen, \$3.25; per 100, \$25.00.

SHORT-CUPPED AND DOUBLE DAFFODILS

Diana Kasner. Creamy yellow perianth. The cup is fluted, yellow with blood-red frill. Each, 18c; per dozen, \$1.90; per 100, \$14.50.

Twink. A double daffodil with the longer yellow petals mingled with shorter ones of orange. Informal and showy. Each, 25c; per dozen, \$2.75; per 100, \$22.50.

JONQUILS

Camperelli. Single. Trumpet shaped bloom of brilliant yellow to 2 inches in diameter. Each 18c; per dozen, \$1.75; per 100, \$13.00.

Camperelli. Double. Huge brilliant yellow on long stems. Each, 18c; per dozen, \$1.75; per 100, \$13.00.

CLUSTER NARCISSUS

Usually the earliest of the bulbs to blossom. A number of smaller flowers, intensely fragrant, surmount the tall stems. Very easily grown out of doors or forced for the house.

Chinese Sacred Lily. White petals, bright yellow cup. Each, 13c; per dozen, \$1.50; per 100, \$11.50.

Paper White. Crisp glowing white throughout. Each, 13c; per dozen, \$1.35; per 100, \$10.50.

Soleil d'Or. Brilliant golden yellow, with deep orange cup. Flowers in dense clusters. Easily grown. Each, 13c; per dozen, \$1.50; per 100, \$11.50.

SUPERB LILIES. *Lilium*.

True Lilies are easily grown, require little care and supply the most spectacular of bloom. As they like to have their tops warm and roots cool they should be partially shaded by other plants.

L. auratum. Gold Band Lily. Huge, waxy white blossoms with golden band down each petal. Very fragrant. Plant 8 inches deep December 15 to March 1 for bloom in July and August. Each, 70c; per dozen, \$7.00.

L. Regale. Regal Lily. Big frosty white trumpet with flaring petals. Golden throat. Tinted pink on outside. Plant 8 inches deep from October 15 to January for June bloom. Each, 35c; per dozen, \$3.75.

L. speciosum rubrum. Huge exotic rose-pink bloom handsomely spotted with red. Reflexed petals. One of the best of the species type. Requires a year to become established. Planted 8 inches deep, December 15 to March 1 should bloom in August or September. Each, 70c; per dozen, \$7.00.

L. tigrinum. Tiger Lily. Reflexed apricot-orange petals, spotted maroon. Plant to depth of 8 inches, December 15 to March 1, for bloom in August. Each, 70c; per dozen, \$7.00.

GAY RANUNCULUS

Tecolote Giants. Large double blooms in a magnificent range of bright colors. Easily grown. Excellent for cutting. Plant 2 inches deep in a well drained location, with prongs downward, September 15 to December for spring bloom.



RANUNCULUS

Separate Colors. Shades of **Gold, Pink, Red, Sunset and White.** Per dozen, \$1.25; per 100, \$9.50.

Mixed Colors: Giant Jumbo Bulbs, per dozen, \$1.25; per 100, \$9.00. **Medium Size Bulbs,** per dozen, 55c; per 100, \$4.25.

SCILLA CAMPANULATA

Year after year these graceful plants produce thrilling spikes of blue Hyacinth-like bloom on arching stems. Grow to 1 foot. Plant 4 inches deep, September 15 to November, for March bloom.

Per dozen, 90c; per 100, \$6.50

STATELY WATSONIAS

Much like Gladiolus but with taller spikes and smaller, more closely arranged flowers. A group makes a fine garden accent and the cut flowers striking arrangements. Especially drought resistant for those far corners of the garden. Plant September 15 through October, 5 inches deep, for April and May bloom. New Giant Australian and American varieties in **Mixed Colors** which include orchid, pink, white, red, orange and lavender.

Each, 12c; per dozen, \$1.25; per 100, \$9.00

WHEN, WHERE and HOW TO PLANT

is filled with information not only on the planting and care of bulbs but also on many of the problems that perplex the inexperienced gardener.

Scented Freesias

Tecolote Hybrids. Mixed. Much more desirable than the ordinary sorts. The flowers are not only of extra size but are delightfully perfumed and of wide open form. A mixture of blues, pinks, reds, yellows and white. Long stems for cutting. Plant 4 inches deep, September 15 to November for February and March bloom.

Per dozen, 65c; per 100, \$5.25.

VIVID ANEMONES

Poppy-like bloom for late winter and spring. Gay in the garden or in the house. Plant with point down, from September 15 to November, and cover with one inch of soil.

Per dozen, \$1.10; per 100, \$8.00, except as noted.

Monarch de Caen. A wonderful strain with enormous bloom of pinks, scarlet and blues in pleasing and vivid shades. **Mixed Colors, Jumbo Bulbs**, per dozen, \$1.00; per 100, \$7.50; **Medium Size Bulbs**, per dozen, 45c; per 100, \$3.00.

Blue Poppy. Rich single deep blue.

His Excellency. Vivid scarlet with black center and silver white base.

Rosea. Glistening single rose.

St. Brigid. Bright as well as delicate shades in a delightful mixture of semi-double rose, pink, lavender and and blue.

DUTCH IRIS

Orchid-like bloom for late winter and spring. Gay in the garden or in the house. Set September 15 through November, 5 inches deep, for March and April bloom.

Per dozen, 90c; per 100, \$6.50 except as noted.

Bronze Beauty. Tall bronze, shaded blue. New.

Wedgwood. Most satisfactory tall growing blue.

White Excelsior. Fine white.

Yellow Queen. Popular golden yellow.

Mixed. A well blended mixture of blues, yellows and whites. Per dozen, 65c; per 100, \$4.75.

Read **WHEN, WHERE AND HOW TO PLANT** for help with your bulb planting. In the booklet you'll find many suggestions for the care of roses, shrubs, vines, fruit and shade trees and indoor plants.

SHOWY SPARAXIS

Tecolote Hybrids. Mixed. A riot of entrancing colors: orange, lavender, pink, scarlet, salmon, crimson and cream. The saucer-shaped flowers, often to 3 inches across, are in part self colors, others are zoned in center with lilac, edged black. Grow to 8 inches. Plant 3 inches deep, September 15 to December to bloom in February and March.

Per dozen, 75c; per 100, \$5.50

GLADIOLUS

Baby Gladiolus. Sometimes called "Orchid Gladiolus". The flowers are smaller than the regular variety with clear colors and distinctive diamond shaped markings on the petals. Plant 3 inches deep September through November. They grow only about 18 inches and bloom in May and June. **Tecolote Special Mixture**, which usually embraces pink, red, peach, rose and white. Each 12c; per dozen, \$1.25; per 100, \$8.50.

Tall Growing Gladiolus. Several plantings of these popular garden varieties, between November 15 and April 15, will supply cut flowers through many months. We carry the finest high crown bulbs in a variety of colors. Treated against thrip.

Each, 12c; per dozen, \$1.25; per 100, \$8.50.

Elizabeth the Queen. Ruffled clear lavender.

Ethel Cave Cole. Large soft pink.

Lady Jane. Exhibition light yellow, lower petals deeper.

Margaret Beaton. Glistening white, scarlet throat.

Paradise. Huge apricot-salmon.

Purple Supreme. Silver edged purple.

Red Charm. Large deep velvety red.

Snow Princess. Finest early white.

Spotlite. Clear deep yellow, scarlet blotch on throat.

Valeria. Large ruffled bright red.

DAHLIA TUBERS

Plant 6 inches deep during March or April. Bloom from July until late fall, after becoming established, and furnish a variety of forms and colors. An excellent assortment of the better varieties in a wide range of colors. Prices available January 1.

LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY

Dainty, fragrant white bells with a background of substantial green foliage. Should be planted in a shaded spot where they need not be disturbed for several years. Plant January 15 to March 1, flush with the top of the ground for spring bloom.

Each, 15c; per dozen, \$1.50; per 100, \$11.50.

TUBEROUS BEGONIAS

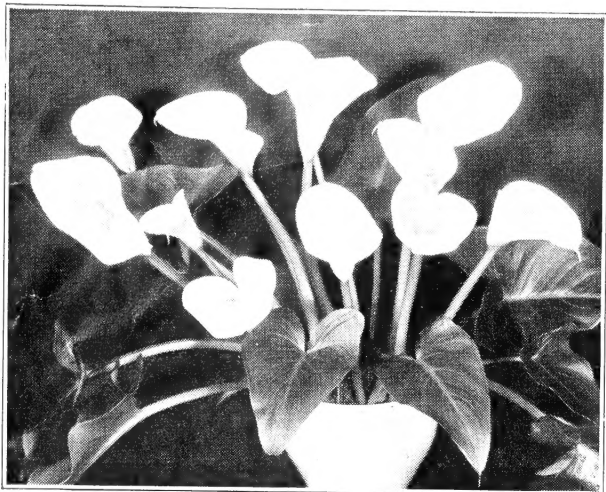
The glory of the shaded garden during the summer. Waxy, perfectly formed blossoms, double, sometimes fringed, come in a variety of colors, reds, pinks, salmons, yellows and white. Set flush with top of soil keeping concave surface upward January or February to bloom in July and August. Excellent varieties in Separate Colors. **Camellia Flowered.** Each, 35c; per dozen, \$4.00. **Lloydi** (Hanging). Each, 30c; per dozen, \$3.00.

MEXICAN TUBEROSE

Polianthes tuberosa. Pure white, very fragrant spikes of bloom. Plant 3 inches deep February to April for summer bloom. **Single**, each, 13c; per dozen, \$1.20; **Double**, each, 20c; per dozen, \$2.00.



ANEMONES



CALLAS

**Plant September 15 to November,
except as noted.**

Black Calla. *Arum pictum*. Large, purple-black flowers in sun or half shade. The odorless variety. Plant September or October 2 inches deep for bloom in April. Each, 70c; per dozen, \$7.75.

Pink Calla. *Zantedeschia rehmanni*. Plant in sun 1 inch deep. April or May bloom. Each, 50c; per dozen, \$5.50.

White Calla. *Zantedeschia aethiopica*. Enormous bloom on lofty stems from February into May. Tropical appearing evergreen foliage.

Plant 2 inches deep in partial shade. Each, 25c; per dozen, \$2.75; per 100, \$20.00.

Yellow Calla. *Zantedeschia elliotiana*. For satiny golden yellow bloom in May, plant in November 2 inches deep. Dark green foliage spotted white. Requires some sun. Each, 40c; per dozen, \$4.00.

ANNUALS

If we desire a ground cover for our Bulbs we'll sow seed of Virginia Stock, Alyssum or Baby Blue Eyes over Bulbs planted 3 inches or deeper.

At the time the bulb planting is being planned, annuals for winter and spring bloom should also be considered. These are in stock during late fall: Stocks, Snapdragons, Pansies and Violas, Calendulas and all kinds of Primroses.

PERENNIALS

In addition Perennials are most successfully planted in the fall. Following are two of TUTTLE BROS. specialties for this year.

GERBERA

Califlora Hybrids. A superior strain of giant single types in a mixture of Salmon, Orange, Red and Pink

shades. Large 2 to 4 eye root divisions, January to May. Each, 35c; per dozen, \$4.00.

PERENNIAL PHLOX

For cheerful bloom through the summer and early fall. Big heads of bloom, in a wide range of attractive colors, scent the garden. The plants increase in size with the years. The varieties listed are the finest available. Plant December to March. Bare-root divisions.

Each, 40c; per dozen, \$4.60

Augusta. Pat. Brilliant cherry red.

Charles Curtis. Sunset red.

Daily Sketch. Salmon pink marked crimson.

Mary Louise. White.

Obergartner Reichnau. Rose pink.

Starlight. Violet red shaded lilac.

Widar. Violet with white eye. Dwarf.

For advice on planting, fertilizing and care after blooming, see our booklet WHEN, WHERE and HOW TO PLANT. If you wish a copy, ask for it.